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More shocks

IT may seem odd for Hongkong, itself a Colony, to be startled by the degree to which colonialism is enforced in other parts of the world, but our trade mission to West Africa has some astounding revelations to make on the Belgian and French territories it visited. It was, of course, to be expected that they would be closely integrated economically with their mother countries, but the extent to which restrictions are enforced and quotas imposed is such that Government and local traders will seriously have to weigh whether trade promotion of any kind will repay the effort.

Perhaps the best reason why Hongkong should be concerned about such little-known areas as Guinea, Mali, Ivory Coast and the Belgian Congo, however, is that in each there seems to be a curious coincidence between the existence of these restrictions. In some cases specifically directed against Hongkong, and the fanciful beliefs held there about working conditions in this Colony. It is almost as if the restrictions they apply are justified by these widely-held fallacies. In each territory, moreover, it seems to be the European interests and even Government officials who are so rigidly committed to this view. This is ominous and if for no other reason than that Hongkong cannot allow misrepresentations to pass uncorrected, steps must be taken to clear the Colony's name.

It would be wrong to suggest that this is the only obstacle, however. There is a regrettable lack of reciprocity in trade with Hongkong, which while exporting annually a few million dollars worth of goods to three of the four territories, takes back in imports practically nothing. Justifiably commercial interests in West Africa feel strongly about this, but with Hongkong's system of free enterprise local importers cannot be forced to take goods for which there is either no demand or which can be obtained with more satisfaction elsewhere. The initiative could be taken by West Africa, however.

One suggestion made by our own trade mission is that imports from this area as well as the question of countering misrepresentations might be dealt with by inviting to Hongkong a delegation representative of Governments and commerce who would hold talks with local importers and manufacturers and be shown how ludicrously wrong are their conceptions of factory conditions in this Colony. Such a visit may pay dividends but it should perhaps wait until these territories achieve independence and display a greater interest in liberalising and expanding trade.

ANOTHER problem is that in some of these territories industry is either in a very nascent stage or has been slow to develop and the protectionist instinct is not only strong but likely to increase despite the trend towards independence. Political promises of higher wages seem to preclude any significant easing of restrictions on the Colony's low-cost exports. Yet another difficulty is that two recent devaluations of the French franc have placed our goods at a serious disadvantage. There are also fears that Hongkong products may be dumped if the doors to trade are too widely or suddenly opened.

The outlook, in short, is depressing. Clearly Colony manufacturers' best bet is to develop trade in the adjoining territories with British ties in the hope that once a better foothold has been gained, infiltration into the more difficult markets will show greater progress. At present, however, it seems that French and Belgian West Africa offer little scope for Hongkong. And we should in the meantime concentrate on getting ourselves and our products a better name and developing better trade connections with these territories where economic "colonialism" is obtrusive, tenuous, exclusive and is spelt with a capital "G".

Contravention of norms of responsible governments U.S. DENOUNCES CUBAN MOVE

Seizure of Texaco oil refinery

Washington, June 29.

The United States tonight denounced as "a naked seizure of property" Fidel Castro's takeover of the Texas (Texaco) Oil Company refinery in Santiago, Cuba.

The U.S. statement was issued by the State Department after the official proclamation was received in Washington that the Castro regime seized the U.S.-owned refinery after it refused to process crude oil from the Soviet Union.

U.S. officials expected the Castro regime might well go on to take over the two other foreign-owned refineries in Cuba, properties of Esso and Shell, for their refusal to handle the Russian oil also.

Discrimination

London, June 29.

Mr Selwyn Lloyd, the Foreign Secretary, was asking in the House of Commons today what arrangements Britain and the United States had made regarding action by either party "in the event of a conflict between the Chinese Republic and the Government of Nationalist China."

Mr Lloyd told the questioner, Mr Emanuel Shinwell (Labour): "No arrangements have been made by the government for action in the event of what is referred to in the question."

Mr Shinwell, a former Defence Minister, asked if that implied Britain would take no action in the event of any dispute between Nationalist China and the Chinese People's Republic in which the United States was involved.

Mr Lloyd replied: "The position is that no arrangements have been made. We have no obligation or commitments of any kind to take military action." —Reuter.

Payments

"The seizure of the Texas Company refinery has taken place despite the fact that the U.S. companies have made great efforts to adjust to the requirements of the revolutionary government and to satisfy the needs of the Cuban economy. In so doing they have continued to supply petroleum products in spite of the refusal of the present government of Cuba over a long period of time to permit normal remittance of payment for raw material.

"It may also be noted that many other U.S. companies which have supplied diverse goods and services to Cuba are also suffering seriously from the revolutionary government's refusal to permit them to receive payments abroad.

"Thus the government of Cuba has responded to efforts by the U.S. companies to serve that country by a naked seizure of property in contravention of norms of conduct by responsible governments."

The semi-official newspaper Revolucion said Castro signed a resolution directing "intervention" of the \$20 million Texaco plant a few hours before the rally.

State-owned

He acted under provisions of 1958 Cuban law requiring oil companies to refine "state-owned" oil at the direction of the government.

Three oil companies—Texaco, Esso Standard, and the Shell Oil Co.—have refused to refine the Soviet crude oil purchased by the Castro government in exchange for sugar on the ground they have obligations to their traditional suppliers, in this case Venezuela.

Castro contends he can buy the Russian oil for almost one dollar a barrel under the Venezuelan price.

At stake is a \$75 million investment the three companies have in their Cuban refineries, plus an estimated \$60 million in foreign exchange the Castro government owes them for crude already imported and processed.

Official report on Nepal clash

New Delhi, June 29.

Official Nepalese reports have stated People's China troops on Monday killed a Nepalese army officer and a sergeant and took 15 peasants prisoner 200 yards inside the Nepal border, the official Indian radio reported today.—AFP.



Assassination attempt

The car of President Romulo Betancourt of Venezuela (left) belches dense black smoke after a dynamite attempt on his life as he rode to an Army Day ceremony in Caracas, on June 24. The dynamite was cached in the parked car at right and detonated by remote control as the President's car passed. The President escaped with burns.—AP photo.

Commons rejects proposal on homosexuality

London, June 29.

The House of Commons by 213 votes to 99, tonight rejected a proposal that homosexual behaviour between consenting adults in private should no longer be a criminal offence in Britain.

U.S. TO TRY SHOOTING DOWN ICBMs

Washington, June 29.

The United States will try to shoot down Atlas intercontinental ballistic missiles with Nike-Zeus rockets high over the Pacific as part of the effort to develop defences against Soviet ICBMs, it was announced tonight.

The Defence Department said the Air Force will launch the Atlas "target" missiles from Vandenberg Air Force base, California, toward Kwajalein Island 4,800 miles away.

The army will launch its Nike-Zeus anti-missile rocket from Kwajalein in an attempt to shoot down the Atlas targets and prove the value of its weapon.

The test will put the army rockets against missiles coming into the atmosphere at speeds approaching 18,000 miles an hour.

The Defence Department refused to say on grounds of security when the tests will start. But speculation was that they would be held in 1961 or 1962.—UPI.

Big stock of pens missing

A large quantity of fountain pens has been found missing during a recent annual stock-taking by Lane, Crawford Ltd. The Police said the exact value of lost property was not yet known but a spokesman for the company told the China Mail that it was more than \$50,000.

Detailed stock-taking is going on to find out the exact value of the lost fountain pens.

The big discrepancy between the pens in stock and the number which should be in existence was discovered about two weeks ago.

Lane, Crawford's reported the matter to the police last Saturday. Investigations have been underway ever since.

The police interrogated several people yesterday and this morning.

The company said, "We exhausted all possibilities of finding the whereabouts of the missing pens before going to the police."

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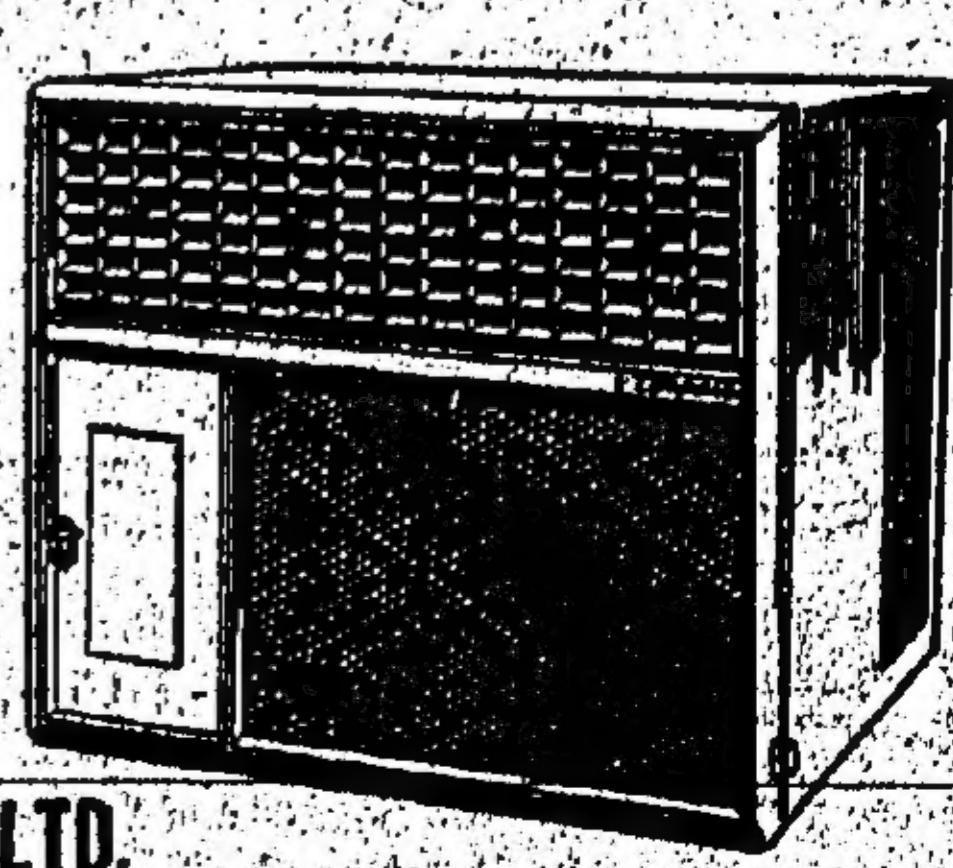
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WALL STREET DECLINE BROUGHT TO A HALT

New York, June 29.

The stock market brought its two-day price slide to an abrupt halt today, closing on a generally firm note.

Buying gathered momentum during the third hour after the light spent most of the morning seesawing narrowly on either side of the previous close.

Steel issues first to benefit from the buying spurt, faltered in the later dealings to finish well below their highs, special stocks stood out with gains of around 15 points in Sweet Co. of America and around five in Paramount Pictures.

Blue chip industrials also were strong along with electronics and some rails.

Todays' volume was 3,160,000 shares.

Of a total 1,211 issues traded, 490 were higher and 486 lower.

Dow-Jones closing averages were:

20 industrials 628.39
15 utilities 142.62
15 railroads 93.37

65 stocks 210.54
40 bonds 32.73
Comm. future price index 145.33

Closing Prices*

	\$	1959	1960
Abitibi Ppr & Paper	38	41	41
Alden Inc. Acy	51	51	51
Alkoma Steel Corp	31	31	31
Allied Chemicals	51	51	51
Allis Chalmers	41	41	41
American Airline	20	20	20
American Cable & Radio Corp	83	83	83
American Cyanamid Co	57	57	57
Amer. & Farn. Power	46	46	46
Amt. Gas & Electric	183	183	183
Amt. Gas & Elec.	183	183	183
Amt. Hatch & F dry	67	67	67
American Metal	18	18	18
Amt. Natural Gas	65	65	65
American Smelting	51	51	51
Amt. Sugar Ref	27	27	27
American Tel & Tel	88	88	88
American Tel	50	50	50

Britain's balance of payments surplus

London, June 29.

Britain's balance of payments on visible trade showed a surplus of £3 million during the first three months of this year, according to provisional estimates issued by the Treasury here today.

This compares with a deficit of £17 million in the last quarter of 1959, and a deficit of the same amount in the first quarter of last year.

Payments for imports rose by £108 million to £973 million sterling between the first quarter of 1959 and the first quarter of this year.

But receipts from exports and re-exports rose by £128 million to £976 million.

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The change in the external monetary position was favourable to the extent of £22 million compared with an improvement of £54 million sterling in the first quarter of 1959.

There was an increase of £16 million in the gold reserves together with a fall of £32 million in the overseas sterling holdings, partly offset by an adverse movement of £26 million in other monetary movements.—Reuters.

Rubber market review

Singapore, June 29.

Overseas advices were much as expected and the market opened hesitant.

As sellers became more persistent the market became weak and the afternoon market was relatively quiet.

Interest in lowers went fair with enquiries mainly for thirds.

The market closed quiet.

In New York, raw rubber futures closed today unchanged at 81 points lower with bales of 99 contracts.

The market was easier reflecting withdrawal of buyers in July.

In London, the rubber market was barely steady with spot quoted at 36½ pence.

In Amsterdam, the rubber market was calm today.—UPI.

HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE

Our Own Correspondent

Business done at the Hongkong Stock Exchange this morning amounted to approximately \$2,283,000. Noon quotations and the morning's transactions:

shares Buyers sellers sales

BANKS HK Banks 1100 1200 1300 1400

INSURANCES Union 92 94

Lombard 22

SHIPPING Waterboat 20

Wheelock 7.05 7.15 1000 1100

DOCKS, ETC. K. Wharf 244

Dock 115 110 500 210 220

Providence 21.20 21.25 500 21.20 21.15

Takoo 56 57 200 150 150

LAND, ETC. HK Hotel 3200 3100 3100 3100

HK Land 58 58 200 200 200

Humphreys 24.85 23.0 1000 1000 1000

Really 18.5 18.5 1000 1000 1000

RUBBER Amalg. 7.05 7.05

Oxford Illinois Glass 5000 5000 5000 5000

Pacific Gas & Elec. 4.00 4.00 4.00 4.00

Per Amaro, Newark 1000 1000 1000 1000

Port Davis Co. 2200 2200 2200 2200

Philip Morris 8.45 8.45 8.45 8.45

Trust 1000 1000 1000 1000

UTILITIES Tram 31.75 32.0 100 32

Star Ferry 169 171 500 170 170

Vaucluse 182 183 700 181 181

C. Light 22.00 22.20 120 21.40

Electric 26.70 26.70 1000 26.70

Telephone 30.74 30.74 300 30.74

HK Gas 14.60 14.70 2000 14.00

Star Ferry 170 170 1000 170 170

Electric 1000 1000 1000 1000

Telephone 400 400 400 400

INDUSTRIALS Cement 54 54.5

STORES, ETC. Dairy 29.10 29.20 500 29.10

Watson 26.10 26.10 200 26.10

L. C. Craw. 43 43 200 43.5

Standard Oil of N.J. 200 200 200 200

Steep Rock 200 200 200 200

Standard Oil of Canada 200 200 200 200

Stone & Webster 200 200 200 200

Studebaker-Packard Corp. 200 200 200 200

Swiss Mining 200 200 200 200

Swift & Co. 200 200 200 200

Texas Co. 200 200 200 200

Tokio Chem. 200 200 200 200

Tone Inc. 200 200 200 200

Tri-Cont. Warrants 200 200 200 200

Union Carbide 200 200 200 200

Union of Co. 200 200 200 200

Union Pacific Railroad 200 200 200 200

United Aircraft 200 200 200 200

United Fruit 200 200 200 200

United Gas Corp. 200 200 200 200

U.S. Fall 'B' 200 200 200 200

U.S. Gypsum 200 200 200 200

U.S. Rubber 200 200 200 200

U.S. Smelting 200 200 200 200

U.S. Steel 200 200 200 200

Warner Bros. 200 200 200 200

Westinghouse Motors 200 200 200 200

Westinghouse Air Brake 200 200 200 200

Washington Electric 200 200 200 200

Western Union Tel. Co. 200 200 200 200

Winn-Dixie Stores 200 200 200 200

Woolworth (K. W.) 200 200 200 200

Zenith Radio 200 200 200 200

—UPI

Business was done in the local financial exchange market this morning at the following rates:

U.S. dollar (per £1) 5.72

Sterling notes (per £1) 16.05

Australian notes (per £1) 12.20

Canadian dollar (per £1) 10.00

Singapore (Straits) 1.80

—UPI

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Settlement house term: 30-37

July/Aug. 30-37

Sept./Oct. 34-34

Oct./Dec. 33-34

Apr./May 33-34

General markets, c.i.f. basis: 30-37

July 30-37

Aug. 30-37

Sept. 30-37

Oct. 30-37

Dec. 30-37

Mar. 30-37

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CYPRUS AGREEMENT ANNOUNCED

BRITISH RACING DRIVERS RECOVERING

London, June 29. Mike Taylor, 25-year-old British racing driver, injured on the Belgian Grand Prix circuit at Francorchamps 11 days ago left hospital here today.

Stirling Moss, the British ace, injured the same time was very much better and continuing to make progress, his hospital reported.

A third British driver, Jonathan Sief, 26, brought home critically injured at the weekend after crashing in the Le Mans trials in France was stated in hospital today to be "holding his own."

Sieff, son of Mr Michael Sieff, director of the Marks and Spencer chain stores, fractured his pelvis, spine and three ribs and also received internal injuries.—Reuter.



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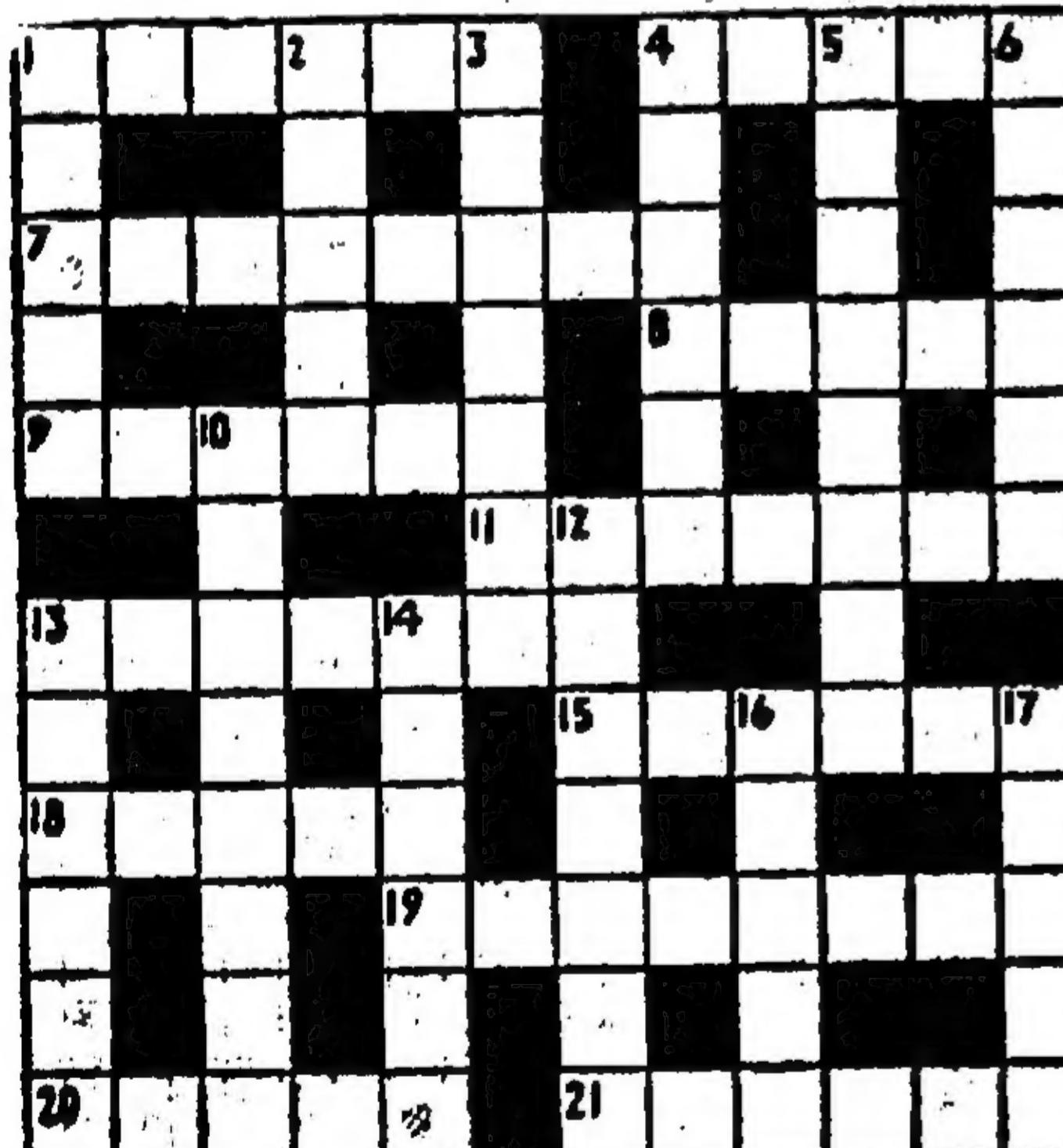
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A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS
1 Models change, but not often (6).
4 Petrified dog? (5).
7 A number of drinks total a considerable amount (5, 3).
8 Relieves pressure (5).
9 Animal in a fur coat (6).
11 With which a libertine cuts wood? (7).
13 Ernie? (7).
15 Just the ghost of a show about modern times (6).
18 Bundles (5).
19 They're always at the races, but any one of them might do a bunt? (6).
20 Just a dash of deduction (5).
21 Adder? (6).

DOWN
1 Enchanting signal? (5).
2 To him "It's a gift" should be a familiar expression (5).
3 Could it be said to give someone a black eye? (7).
4 Presented itself (4, 2).
5 Writers may certainly seek the well of it (8).
6 Tends (6).
7 With only a penny in town, make things less forceful (4, 4).
12 Examine an ant, for example, which is soft inside (7).
13 A lamb's soothing mixture (6).
14 Doesn't hit girls (8).
16 Sailor back-back at sea (6).
17 Severe flowing to the sea (6).

Bomb tossed at house of crime chief

Bangkok, June 29.
Seven years ago Arun Lek Virak, a publisher whose newspapers carried anti-government articles, was found murdered.

Today the policemen were sentenced to 20-year prison terms. A few hours earlier a car sped by Yingkarn's house and a bomb was tossed out.

The bomb bounced off a fence exploded in the street and injured three children, aged 3, 9 and 13.

They were sent to hospital with burns and other injuries.

Five policemen

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD—Across: 1. Spain (rev.), 4. Man-date, 5. Iden (med.), 6. M.O.-R.N., 10. Turns up, 11. Does, 12. Bore, 14. Bed-door, 15. A.M.-end, 16. Spell, 22. General, 26. Cr.-U.S., 27. Neil, 28. P.-off-his, 29. Inge, 30. Zone, 31. Shiners, 32. His-E.R., 33. Down, 2. P.-e-M., 3. M.-in-den, 4. Meter, 5. Amused, 6. Di-Ned, 7. Tuber, 12. Bang, 13. Dents, 15. Even, 16. Rate (rev.), 18. Banner, 20. Polish, 21. Lugger, 23. Egg-pot, 24. Edna, 25. Ledges.

But new row between Greeks and Turks may hold up independence

Nicosia, June 29. British and Cypriot negotiators announced tonight that they have reached a broad measure of agreement on all major issues on the island's future.

But the agreement, following six months of involved wrangling during which Cyprus independence has twice been delayed, came only a few hours after a new row blew up between the Greek and Turkish Cypriot communities.

The Turks announced their determination to seek implementation of a 70-30 Greek-Turkish ratio in the civil service before the republic is proclaimed, and sent a telegram to the Turkish government asking its approval of their stand.

Archbishop Makarios has declared that implementation of the ratio should follow the republic's proclamation, when a

supreme constitutional court will be in being to hear objections.

A British source said the dispute might well hold up independence but would not affect today's agreement.

This agreement, announced after the 11th in the current series of meetings between British, Greek, and Turkish Cypriot representatives, concerned the ceding of bases should Britain no longer want them; delineation of sovereign zones which Britain will retain after independence, and civil administration.

FINANCE

The question of financial aid is still unsettled. Britain's last offer being £10 million for the next five years while Archbishop Makarios is demanding 214,500,000.

Among other points to be finally settled is the position of Akrotiri village, on the edge of a Royal Air Force bomber base in south-west Cyprus.

Britain has insisted that this should remain within sovereign territory and be part of this territory. She has offered compensation to its inhabitants, suggesting that the whole village be transplanted onto republican soil. Current discussions on this point deal with the amount of compensation to be paid to the inhabitants.—Reuter.

Socialists' objection to sale defeated

London, June 29. The British government yesterday rejected Labour opposition objections to the sale of a state-owned firm of instrument makers to an Anglo-American partnership.

Mr Ian Orr-Ewing, Civil Lord of the Admiralty, stated last Friday that S.G. Brown Ltd. would be sold to De Havilland Holdings Ltd, acting in association with the American Bosch Arms Corporation, for £775,000.

Mr Frederick Lee, a Labour spokesman on industrial affairs, said to bring an American concern into Browns—which has a big reputation in the gyro compass field—was "a shocking insult."

"How can we convince the world to buy from us while we advertise to people through our own government, that we need American participation as a condition of our ability to succeed?" he asked the House of Commons.

U.S. TIE-UP

Mr Orr-Ewing replied that it was not felt any longer necessary to carry on, at the taxpayers' expense—extra capital was needed what had been described as "this experiment in Socialism."

Every major firm in Britain in the gyro compass or gyro field had a tie-up with a United States partner.

Continued association with the Bosch Arms Corporation, with its technical and financial strength, would strengthen Browns' long-term interests.

The opposition carried its protest to a vote on a technical motion but was defeated by 322 to 226.—Reuter.



Mrs Elizabeth MacDougall arriving at London Airport last week with 6-year-old Geraldine Figland, the coloured girl she has fostered for five years since she found her desperately ill in a South African shack. She has brought her to Britain because the South African authorities are insisting that Geraldine must not be allowed to live in a white area. Mrs MacDougall is the widowed mother of film actress Maureen Swanson.—Express Photo.

Icelanders draw pistols aboard British trawler

London, June 29. Pistols were drawn on the skipper and radio officer of a British trawler boarded yesterday by men from the Icelandic gunboat Thor, the Admiralty said here today.

This was believed to be the first time personal threats of this kind had been used in the "fish war" between the two countries over fishing inside the 12-mile limit imposed unilaterally by Iceland.

The 67-ton trawler, the Northern Queen, from Grimsby, was boarded yesterday afternoon.

She claimed she was a mile outside Iceland's 12-mile limit but the Thor claimed she was two miles inside.

After the trawler was boarded by nine Icelanders, the British frigate Duncan also put a boarding party on board.

For three and a half hours both boarding parties remained on the trawler while signals were exchanged between the Duncan and the Thor.

The Admiralty said Duncan finally suggested both boarding parties should withdraw.

UNDER PROTEST

The Icelandic gunboat agreed "reluctantly" and "under protest" and said that if men were not allowed to take the trawler into harbour then the Icelandic seamen must be returned to Thor by the Duncan.

A boat from Duncan thereupon ferried the Icelanders back to Thor and then collected her own boarding party.

Early today the Northern Queen "resumed fishing."

This is the first incident involving a British trawler off Iceland since the law of the sea conference in Geneva last April failed to reach agreement which could have allowed settlement of Britain's dispute with Iceland over the 12-mile limit.

In a period when religious and ethical restraints remain weak, as undeniably they are now and should be strengthened, those of the criminal law acquire a special significance.

He did not regard progress made so far with public opinion and research sufficient to change the law. Reuter.

LOCKED SELF

Last month the British Trawlers Owners Federation instructed their ships to stay outside the 12 miles for the next three months.

According to reports reaching London, the Northern Queen's radio officer locked himself in the wireless room when the Icelandic party went aboard and flashed SOS signals to Duncan.

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4 U.S. envoys promoted

Washington, June 29. President Eisenhower today nominated four United States ambassadors in the Far East for promotion to the rank of Career Minister in the U.S. Foreign Service.

They were: Mr. Alexis Johnson (Thailand); Mr. Everett Drummond (Formosa); Mr. Walter McConaughy (South Korea); and Mr. Winthrop Brown (Lao).

The Senate must approve the nominations.

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Russia warns U.S. on use of Japan bases for spy flights

London, June 29. The Soviet Government today warned the Western world it would take measures against "aggressive actions of American planes" flying from bases in Japan, Tass reported.

The Soviet Government issued a statement today on the recent ratification of the U.S.-Japanese security treaty which "has aggravated the situation in the Far East," Tass said.

Apparently referring to the U-2 spy plane incident of May 1, the Soviet Government said in the statement, "Aggressive actions of American planes from the bases in Japan will not be left unpunished."

The Soviet Government was repeating a warning which it issued after the U-2 incident, that it would take retaliatory measures against spy planes and the bases they flew from.

Accomplice

The Soviet note said, "It is clear that the American-Japanese treaty, which converts Japanese territory into a United States aircraft carrier, places Japan into an extremely dangerous position."

"It converts her into a voluntary or involuntary accomplice of the United States aggressive policy in the Far East," Tass reported.

The Soviet government said that the ratification of the treaty by the Japanese Diet (parliament) "subjected their country to a terrible risk."

The note did not enlarge in detail about the "risk" which it claimed Japan faced.

3 AMERICANS

A search continued for two Jamaicans and three Americans sought by police in connection with the strangling and burying of three fellow cultists in a common grave near a Rasafar camp where two British soldiers were killed by cultists on June 21.

Police said the Americans are sought by the Japanese Diet (parliament) "subjected their country to a terrible risk."

The note did not enlarge in detail about the "risk" which it claimed Japan faced.

But the note warned Japan about "sliding down the dangerous path of reviving militarism and of entering into a military deal with the United States for the purpose of aggression."

Police already have captured five Americans wanted in the slaying of the two soldiers.—AP.

A "divine inspiration" leads to bloody clash

Djakarta, June 29. A violent clash between law enforcing agencies and a fanatic Moslem sect about 50 miles southwest of Bandung, capital of West Java province, brought death to 27 people.

The bloody incident occurred earlier this month in the village of Tjularunggul Ulir where the sect was led by Nawawi, a 27-year-old religious teacher who called himself a prophet.

A few days before the incident Nawawi was said to have got a "divine inspiration" that he should marry three virgins and that his followers should divorce their wives and remarry other women. The wedding feast should be held in the village mosque.

On the eve of the fatal day the fanatics killed a village guard who put up resistance when Nawawi claimed his wife.

A military patrol sent to the village to investigate into the murder the next day found Nawawi and his followers engaged in nude dances in the mosque.

About eighty fanatics armed with clubs and bamboo spears attacked the patrol killing instantly an army officer and a soldier.

The furious mob dispersed only after troops opened fire killing Nawawi and 21 other fanatics.—AP.

Spy pilot's trial postponed

Moscow, June 29. Well informed sources said today that the trial of American spy plane pilot Francis Gary Powers, has been postponed from early July until a later, unspecified date.

The sources, which are not official, said the reason was that the Soviet Government is being flooded with applications from persons in the United States, Britain, France, West Germany and other countries who want to witness the trial.

Powers' U-2 reconnaissance plane was downed on May 1, deep inside the Soviet Union touching off a series of international incidents which included collapse of the Paris summit conference.—AP.

Truman withdraws from convention

Independence, Mo., June 29. Former American president Harry Truman announced today that he has resigned as a member of the Missouri Democratic delegation to the national convention, due to meet in Los Angeles on July 11 to choose the party's candidate for the presidential elections.

"I have decided not to go to the Democratic convention. I am resigning as a delegate. I am sorry I cannot be there with you," he said in a telegram to Missouri governor James Blair, now attending a national conference of state governors at Glacier National Park, Colorado.

Truman has not given any explanation for his resignation.—AFP.

23 tremors in a day

Santiago, June 29. Valdivia in southern Chile experienced 23 earth tremors yesterday, the Ministry of Interior said today.

The 400-year-old city was among the hardest hit centres in earthquakes and tidal waves which devastated southern Chile in May.

A violent earthquake shook the islands of Castro and Quellon yesterday, the Ministry said.—AP.

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WORLD'S RICHEST MAN HAS HOUSE-WARMING IN STATELY HOME

London, June 29. Mr J. Paul Getty, reputed the world's richest man, has tightened the secrecy surrounding the £10,000 party which will open his British stately home tomorrow.

The 67-year-old American oil magnate has refused to reveal in advance the names of his 1,200 rich and titled invited guests.

Only a few have slipped out — Sir Winston Churchill, German industrialist Alfred Krupp (who has declined) and New York banker Lloyd Gilmore, who with his wife is flying to England just for the party.

Four bands

The food and wine lists are being kept secret. And the only advance description given of the lavish decorations for Getty's new home — 16th century Sutton Place in Surrey — is "lots of flowers."

Enough details have been made known, however, to label Mr. Getty's entertainment as the party of the year.

There will be four bands playing until dawn.

Three bars will furnish the guests with drink — as well as a live cow, tended by a milkmaid.

Also on the programme are a fortune teller, a fireworks display, and a continuous serving of breakfast from 2 a.m.

The five times married and five times divorced, Mr. Getty is the head of the Tidewater Oil Company. Although legally a resident of California, he spends most of his time abroad and has not been to the United States for at least seven years.

Almost unknown

His personal fortune is estimated to approach £35,000,000. Yet until he was named by the American magazine, Fortune, in 1957 as the richest man in America, Getty was practically unknown to the general public.

Mr. Getty bought stately Sutton Place from the Duke and Duchess of Sutherland last October and has since brought the old mansion up to date with a modern kitchen, central heating, and new plumbing. — China Mail Special.

Woman robbed in a lift

Two armed men robbed a Chinese woman of a gold necklace, a wrist watch and money, to a total value of \$89, in a lift, at 19A, Cameron Road, Tsimshatsui shortly after eleven o'clock last night.

The men, who were armed with knives, bound and gagged the woman before escaping.

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Woman tells how she was knocked down

A Chinese woman who was knocked down by a private car in King's Road on March 28 demonstrated how the accident occurred at Central Court this morning.

Big typhoon shelter to be built at Aberdeen

Government is to build a typhoon shelter at Aberdeen for fishing junks and other small craft based on this important fishing centre situated on the southern shore of Hong Kong Island.

The typhoon shelter, when completed, will be one of the largest in the Colony.

It will be formed by the construction of a 1,380-foot long breakwater at the western entrance to Aberdeen harbour.

The anchorage is part of a large reclamation project which Government proposes to carry out at Aberdeen.

The larger of the two reclamations, covering an area of 55.8 acres, is to be formed by filling in the eastern part of the harbour and the whole of Staunton Creek.

Another area of about 10.8 acres to the west of the wholesale Fish Market will also be reclaimed.

In addition to making available new land from the sea for development purposes, the scheme provides a link between Hong Kong Island and Ap Lei Chau, another important fishing centre opposite Aberdeen.

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Mr. Benson Lee Grayson has been recognised, provisionally, as Vice-Consul for the United States of America at Hong Kong, the Government Gazette notified today.

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WOMANSENSE HUSBANDS

... an inquiry based absolutely

on first-hand evidence by the only real witnesses—wives

THE BRAVEST men in Britain this week are probably the mixed bag of personalities who have consented to take part in this inquiry. For this is a view of them as seen not from the normal position of the public spectator but in the eyes of those who see them at somewhat closer range . . . their wives. Thus the results can be expected to be candid and, perhaps, biased. All of them are certainly fascinating studies of domestic strategy, for here men stand judged not by their professional attainments but on how they handle the demanding role of being a husband . . .

FIRST:

by LADY MORRISON

'Most men just play at being superior . . . Herbert IS superior and is quite unconscious of the fact'



Statesman in shirtsleeves at back door of Eltham home

FROM all I have seen a politician is almost invariably an impossible person to live with.

His wife's job is to smooth out life for him and make sure he is never bothered by the trivialities of her own doings.

She is supposed to remember at all times that her husband has great things on his mind—things that cannot be left behind, things that must be worked out and not intruded on.

Herbert is not like that. He can always leave what he is doing, no matter how important to listen to my complaints about the washer on the kitchen tap or the spring on the garden gate.

Kindness

I NEVER have to feel that I am disturbing him. He can leave his work, listen to what I think, was one of the reasons I never married before.

Men, generally speaking, are aware that they are the superior sex. I also believe this should be true, and that sex equality is carried a little too far these days.

But most men just play at being superior. They assert themselves and behave in a stubborn way because they imagine that this is being superior.

Herbert is superior, and is quite unconscious of the fact—which makes him a rare man.

That first meeting was typical of him. He is always prepared to do something for somebody. Always kind. People are a little inclined to take advantage of his personal generosity, but it does not seem to have done him much harm.

Surprising

ALTHOUGH five months seems like a short count, I knew him very well before we married. All the nice things about him were evident. The only mildly surprising thing is that they have remained constant.

When you marry a man in your mid-forties, and for the first time as I did, you look for tolerance and a sense of humour. These I certainly found.

Impersonal

THEY haven't the physical strength or the courage for the work, and I have never

believed that women are capable of looking impersonally at a problem. Still, that is where we agree to differ.

He is a great feminist, which is the only one of his characteristics that I do not comply with. He believes that women are capable of great things and is always ready to champion the women's cause.

I do not believe that career women can do the things they do as well as they think they can. In fact, I do not even believe that women should go in for national politics.

Herbert is a man who loves his work. Therefore, his leisure is usually concerned with politics. When we entertain at home, which we do a lot, our guests are usually politicians and their wives.

We all talk over a problem, and when things get a little involved the men withdraw to sort them out. But it is possible to enjoy an evening that is both social and political.

In practically everything, my husband is an "easy" man to please. The thing he enjoys most in life is good conversation. He likes people with something

I have tried to change this, only for the sake of his health. I have persuaded him to keep his public engagements down to a minimum, and to get used to the idea of having time for relaxation.

That is why he hardly ever turns down an invitation to open a road or give away school prizes, or make a speech at a meeting, or do any of the hundred and one things a man in his position is requested to do.

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British sport coming out at last from its Sunday gloom

By IVOR YORKE

London, June 29.

How do you spend your Sundays — quietly with the family, in the garden, boisterously in pursuit of a favourite sport or hobby?

Here in England it looks as though we are just on the fringe of thawing out from stuffy, out-dated thinking which for years has made the Sabbath a day of gloom.

Less than a century ago petty laws forbade even the delivery of milk and cycling.

We've progressed a little since signed on a Sunday were still invalid.

Yet for years before, many players and officials had been defying the masters, knowing that they could be severely disciplined if found out. Two very good friends of mine used to turn out each Saturday for a top-class amateur side, and were known to have been in opposition in a Sunday League fixture the following morning.

You can play tennis at a club or in a public park just as on Saturday. The same goes for cricket and bowls. Now—at last—the overlords of the English Football Association have recognised Sunday soccer and are setting up a Sunday Football Committee.

Defying

In 1955, after considerable pressure, the FA lifted the ban on clubs or players under their jurisdiction from taking part in Sunday football; but that was all. The ruling body also made it abundantly clear that they did not intend to organise or control "Seventh-day soccer." According to their laws, professional players' registration forms

had some embarrassing moments on Sunday football. When tours are arranged abroad the national side has had to play its games on the day the host country requires—usually a Sunday. And it has been blatantly clear that

STIRLING MOSS IN HOSPITAL



Stirling Moss, Britain's top racing driver, is still one of the more celebrated patients at St Thomas's Hospital in London, where he is reported to be fast recovering.

Photo shows Moss in hospital taken shortly after his 140-mile-an-hour crash during practice for the Belgian Grand Prix recently. — London Express photo.

sooner or later the FA would have to recognise the playing of Sabbath day football by its own members. It was just too big to ignore.

Still in the wood

But this latest move does not mean that Britain's Sunday sports enthusiasts are out of the wood.

There is still an antiquated body called the Lord's Day Observance Society which persists in taking legal action against organisers of charity football matches.

And that's only the start of the problem, for the games in the 1962 World Cup in Chile are scheduled for Sundays.

Yes, in Britain, in 1960, it is an offence to take "gate" money at a sporting event. An FA spokesman told me this week:

"This is just one of the hundreds of questions that the Sunday Football Committee now being

set up by the FA will have to answer."

Two of the other home Football Associations seem clear one way or another. Members of the Scottish FA have resigned themselves into allowing clubs under their jurisdiction to play matches in the new "Friendship Cup" in France on Sundays, but the Northern Ireland FA turned down a suggestion that their national eleven be allowed to play on Sundays.

It is estimated that the Swedish nation (the population is about 7,000,000) spent between 5,000,000 and 10,000,000 crowns (£344,500—£689,000) each week through the winter on the big "V-5" gamble. And this was in addition to the normal winner and place bets made at the race courses.

Of this sum, a state tax of 25 per cent is first deducted, after which about three-quarters is paid out in prizes to the lucky winners, while the remaining quarter is devoted to expenses and further investment in the sport and the tracks.

£44,600 prize

The popularity of this new form of betting has been largely built up on a number of high prizes paid out during the winter on trotting races.

The size of the winnings depends, of course, on the number of punters who succeed in

Sweden rolling in millions of crowns from V-5 Pool betting

Stockholm, June 29.

Millions of crowns are rolling in Sweden just now on weekly gambling on the horses, though mostly the betting is not done by hard-headed followers of turf form or race-track frequenters.

The big gamble here just now is a new form of pools, similar to football pools, but organised by the totalisators of a number of horse-racing and trotting tracks in various parts of Sweden.

The difference between the usual race-track betting and the new "V-5" Pool, as it is called here, is that the punter does not have to attend the races and can in fact bet on races taking place in a number of districts on the same day.

He fills in his bets on a coupon similar to a football pool coupon and hands it in to a totalisator branch office or posts it to the race track one or two days before the event.

Five forecasts

As the name implies, bets on the V-5 are laid on horses to win in five different races, and systems with alternative horses may be used as in the football pools, each separate row of five forecasts costing one Swedish Crown (about 1s. 4d.). The "V" in "V-5" stands for a "reserve horse" which automatically counts on the coupon in the event of the backed horse being unexpectedly scratched at the last minute.

First introduced

The new V-5 Pool was first started last autumn in connection with the horse-racing at the Aby race course in West Sweden.

Within a few weeks the money staked on the V-5 at Aby went up from 37,000 crowns per race day to over 100,000 crowns.

The trotting tracks then took up the idea, and as winter approached more and more trotting tracks were caught up in the popular new betting system. And more and more people, many of whom had never been to the races, began to have their little, or big, weekly "fixing" on V-5.

The newspaper sports pages are now filled with tips for V-5 punters. In other columns, too, readers are encouraged by articles about the lucky winners.

Tax raise

There have been plenty of forecasts, too, that the treasury would soon raise the tax on V-5 revenue.

For a time during the winter, the state football pools organisation began to be concerned about a certain fall-off of interest, as many small football poolers were attracted away by the high prizes of the V-5 "horse pools"—sometimes more than ten times as valuable as the prizes available for the football pools.—China Mail Special

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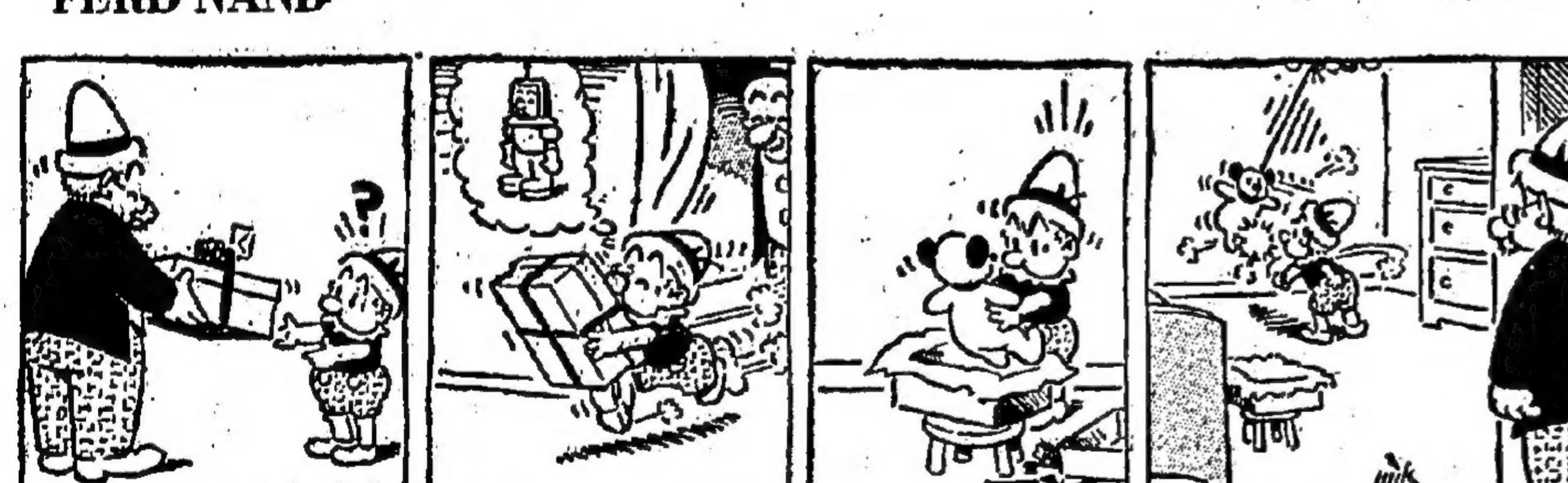
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HEAVY RAIN FLOODS N.T.

Reservoirs gain from last night's downpour

Flooding of farms in the New Territories and streets in Hongkong Island occurred yesterday following heavy rain brought by Typhoon Olive.

SAILOR JAILED FOR WOUNDING

A sailor from Madras was sent to prison for 2½ years today when he was found guilty of wounding two Pakistani shipmates during a fight at sea.

A Edward Gomez, 24, was jailed for 15 months for stabbing Eissa Ali and another 15 months for stabbing Nasar Ali. Judge Derek Cons heard witness that Gomez slashed the men during a brawl on May 21 on the deck of the ss Orna, bound for Hongkong from Singapore.

Not proceeding
The Attorney General has filed a notice of appeal in the case in which a 16-year-old Karen seaman, Lee Sung-kun, was charged with the manslaughter of a fellow crew member, Lee Jong-joon, on board the mv Yosu on July 23.

May traffic and industrial accident toll

Sixteen persons were killed, and 703 injured, 196 seriously, in 644 traffic accidents in May. There were 233 deaths in Hongkong, 324 in Kowloon and 87 in the New Territories.

Eleven persons were killed and 649 injured in 654 industrial and occupational accidents in May.

U.S. CONSUL RETURNS FROM JAPAN

Mr Julius C. Holmes, U.S. Consul General to Hongkong, returned this morning by PAA from Japan after spending two weeks' holiday there.

He was accompanied by his wife and son, Richard, who is spending summer vacation with the parents in Hongkong. Meeting them at the airport were Mr Sam Gilstrap, Deputy Principal Officer of the U.S. Consulate-General, and Mrs Gilstrap, Mr Roy Helmeck, Press Officer, and other members of the Consulate.

New irrigation dam for Taipo

A new dam will be built by the Government in the Taipo District of the New Territories to provide the farmers of Ku Tung Village and the surrounding areas with water for irrigation purposes.

The dam will have a storage capacity of 14,000,000 gallons.

St John Ambulance

Dr F. I. Tseung has been appointed Commissioner of the Hongkong District, St John Ambulance Brigade Overseas, the Government Gazette notified today.

Traffic committee

Mr A. J. Stonier has been appointed a Member of the Traffic Advisory Committee during the absence of Mr C. F. Wood, the Government Gazette notified today.



Lady Black seen at Taikoo Dockyard Red Cross working party.—China Mail photo.

'Keep up this wonderful work,' says Lady Black

"This is wonderful work you are doing, please keep it up," Lady Black this morning told two Red Cross working parties.

Two Government Departments to be re-organised

The Fisheries Division of the Agriculture, Fisheries & Forestry Department will be amalgamated with the Co-operative Development Department on July 1, when the Co-operative Development Department becomes known as the Co-operative Development & Fisheries Department.

The Agriculture, Fisheries & Forestry Department will be renamed the Agriculture & Forestry Department.

Administration of the Fisheries Research Unit, at present under the University of Hongkong, will also be transferred one month later to the new Co-operative Development & Fisheries Department, which will become the sole authority responsible to Government for all fisheries work other than pond fisheries, control of which will be retained by the Agriculture & Forestry Department; basic research work in connection with pond fisheries being carried out by the Co-operative Development & Fisheries Department.

The headquarters of the new department will for the time being remain at the premises at present occupied by the Co-operative Development Department at Tung Kun Street, Yau Ma Tei.

The first head of the new organisation will be Mr J. Carter, the present Commissioner for Co-operative Development.

Signal down

Local storm signal No. 3 which was raised at 5.30 am was lowered at 9.15 am. There are now no storm signals up.

The typhoon is now reported to be 290 nautical miles west of the Colony and is moving west at 14 knots.

A number of landslides occurred on Hongkong Island this morning as a result of the heavy rains.

The state of the Colony's roads at 10 am. was as follows:

Tai Hang Road, near the French Hospital, is partially blocked and is open to single-lane traffic.

Single-lane traffic is also operating in Island Road Tytan, to the east of its junction with Shek O Road.

Borre Road, which runs from Kennedy Road to the Military Hospital in Bowen Road, is closed to all traffic because of the danger of a landslide.

All roads in Kowloon and the New Territories are clear.

Macao escapes

A Macao AFP report said that Typhoon Olive which passed by during the night, caused little damage on land or sea, but brought gusty winds and heavy showers.

The Hongkong ferries, Tak Shing and Tai Loi resumed their run this morning taking back stranded Hongkong visitors and the Falshant will leave this afternoon.

All three vessels had taken shelter in Macao harbour during the approaching typhoon.

Government takes action against HK's clandestine factories

Clandestine factories are operating in Hongkong to avoid complying with strict Government industrial regulations.

They operate on the understanding that even though fines will be imposed if they are caught for not being registered they can still come out even or profitable.

Some of these underground factories are said to be branches of registered factories.

For fear of staining the good name of their parent concerns, these clandestine factories often have different names.

Some of them dispense with names altogether.

A number have already applied for licences but were refused because they did not fulfill requirements.

The local labour authorities have taken action against these factories.

A spokesman for the Labour Department told the China Mail this afternoon that the department takes action whenever these factories come to light.

In the last financial year, the department has taken action and secured closure of 120 factories.

Better anchorage facilities

To provide better anchorage facilities in the Yaumati-typhoon shelter work will start in August on the dredging of the seabed off the Tsim Sha Tsui waterfront.

Editor returns

Mr W. V. Pennell, Associate Editor of the South China Morning Post Ltd, returned from Japan this morning by HAL after a two-week tour of the country at the invitation of the Japanese Government.

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Mei Po, Yik-fai, J. J. E. Martin, J. H. Grieve, Wong Wing-yin, Soeto Che-yan, Chan Wal-man, Chai Cheung-cheun, K. Bishop and K. Armstrong were appointed members of the Board of Examiners by the Government Gazette notified today.

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SIR SIK-NIN CHAU FEDERATION CHAIRMAN

Sir Sik-nin Chau has been appointed Chairman of the Federation of Hongkong Industries. Mr J. D. Clague becomes Deputy Chairman.

The following have been appointed members of the General Committee: Sir Sik-nin Chau, Mr J. D. Clague, Mr G. M. Goldsack, Mr D. I. Bonnacquet, Mr Chow Hon-kun, Mr Chung See-yuen, Mr M. S. Cummins, Mr Fung Hon-chun, Mr L. E. Johnson, Mr Daniel Lam Hin, Mr Paul Lau, Mr Lee Chen-chie, Mr Lee Mou, Mr Tang Wo, Mr Ting Halu-chao, Mr Haking Wong, Mr Wong San-tung and Mr U Tai-chee.

It is probable that one more appointment will be announced shortly.

Government appointments gazetted

The Government Gazette this morning announced the following appointments, transfers, promotions and postings:

Mr H. A. de B. Botello to act as Solicitor General, during the absence of Mr C. J. G. Lowe; Mr A. E. Barton, Education Officer, ceased to act as Senior Education Officer.

Mr C. W. Watson to act as Senior Education Officer, during the absence of Mr C. J. G. Lowe; Mr A. E. Barton, Education Officer, ceased to act as Senior Education Officer.

Mr Huang Ping-wel to act as Chief Labour Inspector.

Mr J. C. Hobbs, to act as Assistant Director of Audit, during the absence of Mr P. T. Ward.

Mr J. A. H. Tilley to be Legal Assistant, Registrar General's Department, and Deputy Registrar of Marriages.

Mr H. R. Tappenden, resumed duty as Superintendent of Prisons on return from leave.

Mr L. W. Brace, Chief Officer, ceased to act as Superintendent of Prisons; Mr B. L. Zajic, Assistant Chief Officer, to act as Chief Officer.

Mr D. R. Evans to act as Officer Instructor, HKRNE, during the absence of Mr E. B. Tancock.

Mrs Leung O-tung and Mr Lau Yau-pang to be Sub-Inspectors of Schools.

The Gazette also notified the confirmation of the following officers to the permanent and pensionable establishment:

Mr Wong Man-kam and Mr Wong Mang-ki, engineers; Mr F. R. Blaker, Land Surveyor; Mr P. F. DeGroff, Building Surveyor; Mr J. Lim, Mechanical Engineer; Dr Lee Chi-nam and Dr A. McGowan, Medical Officers; and Dr G. M. Holmes, Education Officer.

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